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Abel, Rudolph

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Soviet Spy Film Uses Real Thing

Moscow, Nov. 14 (AP)—Col. Rudolph Abel, a real-life Soviet spy, is the narrator in a new Russian espionage movie "The Dead Season," the news agency Tass reported today.

In the first scene, Mr. Abel, 65, is interviewed about the work of Soviet spies, Tass said. The movie then goes on to tell a fictional story of Mr. Abel's "colleagues," based on actual experiences.

As described by Tass, the movie does not use Mr. Abel's own career. Arrested in New York in the 1950's, he served 4 years and 8 months of a 30-year sentence before he was exchanged in 1962 for the downed U-2 pilot, Gary Powers.